

Page 184, line 18 through 19; dealing with the Highway Trust Fund; **Pages H8513–14**

Filner amendment No. 3 printed in the Congressional Record of Nov. 1 that sought to make available \$20 million for the hiring of additional inspectors for the United States-Mexico border to respond to increased security needs; **Page H8514**

Manzullo amendment that sought to allow the use of funding for Small Business Administration 7A and 504 loan programs; **Page H8524**

Lowey amendment that sought to make available additional funding for Temporary Emergency Unemployment Assistance for the State of New York; **Pages H8525–36**

H. Res. 296, the rule that provided for consideration of the bill was agreed to by a yea and nay vote of 216 yeas to 211 nays with 1 voting “present”, Roll No. 454. **Page H8441**

Senate messages: Messages received from the Senate today appear on page H8441.

Referral: S. 1684 was referred to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means. **Page H8563**

Quorum Calls—Votes: One quorum call (Roll No. 455), five yea and nay votes, and two recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H8429–30, H8430–31, H8431, H8441, H8476, H8476–77, H8550, H8550–51.

Adjournment: The House met at 10 p.m. and adjourned at 11:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CONSUMER RENTAL PURCHASE AGREEMENT ACT

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Consumer Credit approved for full Committee action, as amended, H.R. 1701, Consumer Rental Purchase Agreement Act.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on International Relations: Ordered reported, as amended, the following bills S. 494, Zimbabwe Democracy and Economic Recovery Act of 2001; and H.R. 2739, to amend Public Law 107–10 to require a United States plan to endorse and obtain observer status for Taiwan at the annual summit of the World Health Assembly in May 2002 in Geneva, Switzerland.

The Committee also favorably considered the following measures and adopted a motion urging the Chairman to request that they be considered on the Suspension Calendar: H.R. 3348, to designate the National Foreign Affairs Training Center as the

George P. Shultz National Foreign Affairs Training Center; and S. Con. Res. 58, expressing support for the tenth annual meeting of the Asia Pacific Parliamentary Forum.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Resources: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 38, amended, Homestead National Monument of America Additions Act; H.R. 1925, amended, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to study the suitability and feasibility of designating the Waco Mammoth Site Area in Waco, Texas, as a unit of the National Park System; H.R. 1963, to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the route taken by American soldier and frontiersman George Rogers Clark and his men during the Revolutionary War to capture the British forts at Kaskaskia and Cahokia, Illinois, and Vincennes, Indiana, for study for potential addition to the National Trails System; H.R. 2234, amended, Tumacacori National Historical Park Boundary Revision Act of 2001; H.R. 2238, amended, Fern Lake Conservation and Recreation Act of 2001; H.R. 2440, amended, to rename Wolf Trap Farm Park as “Wolf Trap National Park for the Performing Arts;” H.R. 2742, to authorize the construction of a Native American Cultural Center and Museum in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; H.R. 3322, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct an education and administrative center at the Bear River Migratory Bird Refuge in Box Elder County, Utah; and H.R. 3334, to designate the Richard J. Guadagno Headquarters and Visitors Center at Humboldt Bay National Wildlife Refuge, California.

TERRORISM RISK PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted, by a record vote of 8 to 0, with 3 voting present, a modified closed rule providing 1 hour of debate in the House on H.R. 3210, Terrorism Risk Protection Act. The rule provides that, in lieu of the amendments recommended by the Committee on Financial Services and the Committee on Ways and Means, an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of H.R. 3357 shall be considered as adopted. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill as amended. The rule provides for consideration of the amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in the Rules Committee report accompanying the resolution, if offered by Representative LaFalce or his designee, which shall be considered as read and shall be separately debatable for one hour equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the amendment printed in the report. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard

from Chairman Oxley and Representatives Baker, LaFalce, Kanjorski, Bentsen, Sandlin, Crowley and Pomeroy.

Joint Meetings

U.S. ECONOMY

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to examine issues related to the economic outlook of the nation, including a national energy policy, the tax code, and the impact of the slowing economy, after receiving testimony from R. Glenn Hubbard, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers; Allen Sinai, Decision Economics, Inc., Boston, Massachusetts; Margo Thorning, American Council for Capital Formation, Washington, D.C.; Janet L. Yellen, University of California Department of Economics, Berkeley; and Alan S. Blinder, Princeton University Department of Economics, Princeton, New Jersey.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2001

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, to hold hearings to examine funding for bioterrorism preparedness, 9 a.m., SD-192.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: to hold hearings to examine housing and community development needs, focusing on the fiscal year 2003 housing and urban development budget, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on Finance: business meeting to mark up S. 525, to expand trade benefits to certain Andean countries; and S. 1209, to amend the Trade Act of 1974 to consolidate and improve the trade adjustment assistance programs, to provide community-based economic development assistance for trade-affected communities, 9 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations: to hold hearings on the nomination of John V. Hanford III, of Virginia, to be Ambassador at Large for International Religious Freedom; the nomination of Arthur E. Dewey, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Population, Refugees, and Migration; and the nomination of John D. Ong, of Ohio, to be Ambassador to Norway, 10:30 a.m., SD-419.

Full Committee, to hold hearings on the nomination of James David McGee, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Swaziland; the nomination of Kenneth P. Moorefield, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Gabonese Republic; and the nomination of John Price, of Utah, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Mauritius, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Federal and Islamic Republic of The Comoros and Ambassador to the Republic of Seychelles, 3:30 p.m., SD-419.

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on International Security, Proliferation and Federal Services, to resume hearings to examine combating proliferation of weapons of mass destruction with non-proliferation programs and proposed legislation entitled the Non-Proliferation Assistance Coordination Act, 9:30 a.m., SD-342.

Committee on the Judiciary: business meeting to consider subcommittee membership; S. 986, to allow media coverage of court proceedings; S. 304, to reduce illegal drug use and trafficking and to help provide appropriate drug education, prevention, and treatment programs; S. Res. 140, designating the week beginning September 15, 2002, as "National Civic Participation Week"; and H. Con. Res. 88, expressing the sense of the Congress that the President should issue a proclamation recognizing a National Lao-Hmong Recognition Day; and pending nominations, 10 a.m., SD-226.

House

Committee on Government Reform, Subcommittee on National Security, Veterans Affairs, and International Relations, hearing on "Risk Communication: National Security and Public Health," 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Committee on International Relations, hearing on Implementation of the Trafficking Victims Protection Act, 11 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Courts, the Internet and Intellectual Property, oversight hearing on "The Operations and Federal Judicial Misconduct and Recusal Statutes," 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Crime, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 556, Unlawful Internet Gambling Funding Prohibition Act; and H.R. 3215, Combatting Illegal Gambling Reform and Modernization Act, 2 p.m., 1137 Rayburn.

Joint Meetings

Conference: meeting of conferees on H.R. 2299, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, 3 p.m., H-140, Capitol.